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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment and Request for Rejoinder begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.